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8	DISTRICT COURT		
9	CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA		
10 11 12 13 14 15	Plaintiff,	Case No. C-21-355253-1 Dept. No. 3	
16	INFORMATION		
17	The State of Nevada, by and through legal counsel, AARON D. FORD, Nevada		
18	Attorney General, and BEHNAZ SALIMIAN MOLINA, Senior Deputy Attorney General,		
19	informs this Honorable Court that LAVELL JAMES WORTHY JR., the defendant above		
20	named, through Spirit of David Behavioral Health, LLC (Spirit of David), has committed		
21	the offense of: one (1) count of INTENTIONAL FAILURE TO MAINTAIN ADEQUATE		
22	RECORDS , a gross misdemeanor in violation of NRS 422.570(1), in Clark County, Nevada.		

23 Defendant committed said offenses against the State of Nevada, Department of
24 Health & Human Services, Health Care Financing and Policy Division – Nevada Medicaid
25 (Medicaid) in the following manner:

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From on or about March 1, 2017, to December 23, 2017, Spirit of David maintained an agreement with Medicaid to be a provider of services. At all times pertinent to these allegations, Spirit of David maintained business locations at the following addresses, all of which are located in Clark County, Nevada: 2113 Sun Avenue, Suite B, North Las Vegas, Nevada 89030; 4520 South Pecos Road, Suite 3, Las Vegas, Nevada 89121; and 2350 South Jones Boulevard, Suite 211, Las Vegas, Nevada 89146. During said time, Defendant was the sole owner of Spirit of David and had the requisite authority and/or responsibility pursuant to NRS 422.530.

COUNT I

INTENTIONAL FAILURE TO MAINTAIN ADEQUATE RECORDS Gross Misdemeanor – NRS 422.570(1)

Defendant, upon submitting a claim for or upon receiving payment for goods or services pursuant to the State Plan for Medicaid (Plan), did intentionally fail to maintain such records as are necessary to disclose fully the nature of the goods or services for which the claim was submitted or payment was received for at least five (5) years after the date on which payment was received. The actions occurred as part of Defendant's routine business practices/scheme or continuing course of conduct, to wit:

From on or about March 1, 2017, to on or about December 23, 2017, Defendant, LAVELL JAMES WORTHY JR., through Spirit of David, intentionally failed to maintain accurate documentation, including progress notes and service documentation, concerning the services or quantity of services actually provided to Medicaid recipients. Defendant knew these records were used as a basis for claims submitted for reimbursement from Medicaid and that he was required to maintain these records. Defendant subsequently obtained payment for such claimed services.

All of which was committed in Clark County and constitutes a gross misdemeanor in violation of NRS 422.570(1).

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1	All of which is contrary to form, force and effect of the statutes in such cases made		
2	and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State of Nevada. Furthermore,		
3	complainant makes this declaration subject to the penalty of perjury.		
4	DATED this <u>19th</u> day of <u>April</u> 2021.		
5	AARON D. FORD		
6	Attorney General		
7	By: <u>/s/ Behnaz Salimian Molina</u> BEHNAZ SALIMIAN MOLINA (Bar. No. 13752)		
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